
BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

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EDUCATION/TRAINING			
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National ChungHsing University; Taiwan	Bachelor	1974	Veterinary Medicine
National Taiwan University; Taiwan	Master	1976	Vet. Microbiology
Colorado State University, Fort Collins, CO	Ph.D.	1986	Microbiology/Biochemistry

A. Professional Experience:

1986-1988	Post-Doctoral Research Associate , National Research Council, Molecular Biology Branch, Division of Vector-Borne Infectious Diseases (DVBID), CDC, Fort Collins, CO
1988-	Research Microbiologist , Arbovirus Disease Branch, DVBID, CDC, Fort Collins, CO
1990-	Affiliate Faculty , Department of Microbiology, Colorado State University, Fort Collins, Colorado
1995-	Term Leader , Molecular Epidemiology and Immunochemistry Laboratory, Arbovirus Diseases Branch, DVBID, CDC, Fort Collins, CO
2000-	Member of NCID peer-review board
2007-	Member of DVBID animal use committee
2004-2006	NIH study group on Vaccine research and emerging diseases research.

B. Selected peer-reviewed publications and book chapters.

1. Szu-Chia Hsieh, S.-C., I.-J. Liu, C.-C. King, **G. J. Chang**, and W.-K. Wang. A strong endoplasmic reticulum retention signal in the stem-anchor region of envelope glycoprotein of dengue virus type 2 affects the production of subviral particles. (**Manuscript in preparation**).
2. Chiou, S.-S., W. D. Crill, and **G. J. Chang**. Differential Diagnosis of Japanese Encephalitis Virus Infection Using Cross-Reactive Reduced Virus-Like Particles. (**Manuscript in preparation**).
3. Roberson, J., W. D. Crill and **G. J. Chang**. Differentiation Of West Nile Virus And St. Louis Encephalitis Virus Infections in Serodiagnostic Assays Using Reduced Cross-Reactive Noninfectious Virus-Like Particles. (**Manuscript in preparation**).
4. Martin J. E., C. P. Theodore, S. Hubka, S. Rucker, I. J. Gordon, M. E. Enama, C. A. Andrews, Q. Xu, B. S. Davis, M. Nason, M. Fay, R. A. Koup, R. T. Bailer, P. L. Gomez, J. R. Mascola, **J. G. Chang**, G. J. Nabel, B. S. Graham and the VRC 302 Study Team. A West Nile Virus DNA Vaccine is Safe and Induces Neutralizing Antibody in Healthy Adults in a Phase I Clinical Trial. *J. Infectious Diseases*. (in press)
5. Russell B. J., J. O. Velez, J. J. Laven, A. J. Johnson, **G. J. Chang**, R. S. Lanciotti, B. W. Johnson (2007). A Comparison of concentration methods applied to non-infectious flavivirus recombinant antigens for use in diagnostic serological assays. *J. Virological Methods*. (In press).
6. Daniele B. A. Medeiros, Márcio R. T. Nunes, Pedro F. C. Vasconcelos, **G. J. Chang**, Goro Kuno. (2007). Complete genome characterization of Rocio virus (*Flavivirus: Flaviviridae*): A Brazilian flavivirus isolated from a fatal case of encephalitis during an epidemic in São Paulo state. *J. General Virol.* (In press).

7. Bunning, M. L., P. E. Fox, R. A. Bowen, N. Komar, **G. J. Chang**, T. J. Speaker, M. R. Stephens, N. Nemeth, N. A. Panella, S. A. Langevin, P. Gordy, M. Teehee, P. R. Bright, and M. J. Turell. (2007). DNA vaccination of the American Crow (*Corvus Brachyrhynchos*) provides partial protection against lethal challenge with West Nile virus. *Avian Diseases*. 51:573-577.
8. Crill, W. D., Trainor, N. and **G. J. Chang**. (2007). A Detailed Mutagenesis Study of Flavivirus Cross-Reactive Epitopes using West Nile Virus-like Particles. *J. General Virol.* 88:1169-1174.
9. Trainor, N. Crill, W. D., Roberson, J. and **G. J. Chang**. (2007). Mutation Analysis of the Fusion Domain Region of St. Louis Encephalitis Virus Envelope Protein. *Virology*. 360: 398-406.
10. Chao, D.-Y. B. S. Davis and **G. J. Chang**. (2007). Development of Multiplex Real-Time Reverse Transcriptase PCR Assays for Detecting Eight Medically Important Flaviviruses in Mosquitoes. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 45:584-589.
11. **Chang, G. J.**, B. S. Davis, C. Stringfield, and C. Lutz. (2007). Prospective immunization of the endangered California condors (*Gymnogyps californianus*) protects this species from lethal West Nile virus infection. *Vaccine*. 25:2325-2330.
12. Kuno, G., and **G. J. Chang**. (2007). Full-Length Sequencing and Genomic Characterization of Bagaza, Kedougou, and Zika Viruses. *Archiv. Virol.* 158:687-696.
13. Kuno, G., and **G. J. Chang**. (2006). Characterization of Sepik and Entebbe Bat Viruses Closely Related to Yellow Fever Virus. *Am. J. Trop. Med. Hyg.* 75: 1165-1170.
14. Chien, L.-J. T.-L. Liao, P.-Y. Shu, J.-H. Huang, D. J. Gubler, and **G. J. Chang**. (2006). Development of Real-Time Reverse Transcriptase-PCR Assays to Detect and Serotype Dengue Viruses. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 44:1295-1304.
15. Kuno, G., and **G. J. Chang**. (2005) The Biological Transmission of Arboviruses: Re-examination of and New Insights into the Components, Mechanisms, and Unique Traits as well as their Evolutionary Trends. *Clinic Microbiol Rev.* 18: 606-637.
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17. Holmes, D. A., D. E. Purdy, D.-Y. Chao, A. J. Noga, and **G. J. Chang**. (2005) Comparative Analysis of the IgM-capture Enzyme-linked Immunosorbent Assay Using Virus-like Particles or Virus-infected Mouse Brain Antigens to Detect IgM Antibody in Patient Serum with Evidence of Flaviviral Infection. *J. Clin. Microbiol.* 47:3227-3236.
18. Purdy, D. E. and **G. J. Chang**. (2005) Secretion of Noninfectious Dengue Virus-like Particles and Identification of Amino Acids in the Stem Region Involved in Intracellular Retention of Envelope Protein. *Virology*. 333:239-250.
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C. Honor:

2001	Secretary's Award for Distinguish Service
2002	Center for disease Control and Prevention, Charles C. Shepard Science Award for Laboratory and Methods
2002	National Center for Infectious Diseases, James H. Nakano Citation
2003	South East Federal laboratory Consortium, 2003 Excellence in Technology Transfer Award
2004	National Federal laboratory Consortium, 2004 Excellent in Technology Transfer Award

D. Patents and Pending Patents.

Nucleic Acid Vaccines for Prevention of Flavivirus Infections:

Australian patent number: 778988
New Zealand patent number: 1509
South Africa patent number: 2003/7580
U.S. patent number: 7,227,011
Chinese patent number: ZL02807758.X
EU. Patent number: 1084252

Pending Patents.

Nucleic Acid Vaccines for Prevention of Flavivirus Infections:

11 additional Countries and EU

Localization and Characterization of Flavivirus Envelope Glycoprotein Cross-reactive Epitopes and Methods for Their Use

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